

Miller & Rhoads

"The Shopping Center"

Brain vs. Brawn

Muscle power is judged by physical pressure—brawn power by the most intricate methods of psychology.

The brawn of a store is evidence only of "size" measured by four brick walls and a mass of merchandise.

The brain of a store is gauged by PERFORMANCE!

If you, in personal contact with this store, find attention and courtesy, earnestness and knowledge, a skillful understanding of your requirements and a constant desire on the part of our employees to serve you thoughtfully and intelligently—put it down as the measure of this store's "business" brains.

In fact, we like to think of this store always as a store of "brains"—not merely of brawn.

The selection of the store's MERCHANDISE—its arrangement for display and sale; the store's SERVICE—and what that service contributes toward the creation and preservation of THIS as Richmond's "Shopping Center," at which one may spend pleasantly and profitably one's shopping hours—all these are indeed the creatures of BRAINS!

But the end is not yet. The store goes right on building new friendships (all the while clinging tenaciously to its old ones) year in and year out.

MILLER & RHOADS.

RICHMOND TO BE CENTER FOR ARMY RECRUITING

Will Direct Work for Two States From New Office Established Here.

MUST GET 100,000 MORE MEN

Secretary of War Baker Issues Instructions for Recruiting of at Least One Man Per 1,000 People in Each District.

Secretary of War Baker has inaugurated an entirely new system of regular army recruiting. He has divided the United States into districts and served notice upon district officers that at least one man must be recruited for every 1,000 people in his district.

It was announced yesterday by the War Department that Richmond will be the center of one district, and that probably twenty officers and men of the regular army will be detailed to cover the area embraced in it.

The exact limits of the Richmond district have not been fixed. Adjutant-General McCain, but it will include all of Virginia and perhaps a part of North Carolina.

Other districts already circumscribed have been designed to include about 2,000,000 population as a minimum. On that basis it will be necessary for the Richmond district to recruit not less than 2,000 Virginians and North Carolinians, if all expectations are met.

The twenty-odd men who will be assigned to recruiting duty at Richmond will work out of this city. Branch offices will be opened for use in Norfolk, Lynchburg, Roanoke and other cities, all of them reporting their results to the main office in Richmond.

HOPES TO ENLIST 100,000 MEN FOR REGULAR ARMY

By the process now decided upon, the War Department hopes to enlist not less than 100,000 men for the regular army. This draft is intended to fill the ranks up to minimum war strength authorized in the army reorganization bill and to fill the vacancies in the army units caused by enlistment expirations.

It was further announced by the War Department yesterday that general officers of the army had been authorized to discontinue militia recruiting at their discretion. Enlistment in the National Guard has been a disappointment to the War Department, and it is now felt that additional money would be thrown away, at this time, in an effort to induce more men to enter guard service.

ALL IN READINESS FOR STATE FAIR

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Everything has been done. There are rest-rooms for women and children. The Virginia Hospital has its emergency hospital facing on Midway, to the east of the race track, and between Grace and Third Streets. The company will be kept in the grounds throughout the week, and a regular system of signals has been installed.

Chief W. H. Joyce of the Fire Department, has located Engine Company No. 4 in the grounds. This company is on Third Street, between Grace and Third Streets. The company will be kept in the grounds throughout the week, and a regular system of signals has been installed.

FAIR WEEK INSTRUCTIONS

Chief Werner Issues Notice in All of Beers to Guard Against Accidents.

Chief of Police Louis Werner issued special notices to all members of the Police Department yesterday with regard to handling the crowds during Fair week. The notice follows:

"Many strangers are in the city. Extend them every courtesy and guard against accidents, especially at congested crossings. You will pay special attention to the traffic regulations, as the streets will be crowded with vehicles of all descriptions. See to it that the streets are kept clear of anything that would bring reproach on this department. It goes without saying that the chief will reward the officer who performs duty of special merit."

ARRESTED ON ARSON CHARGE

James Roberts Alleged to Have Set Fire to Store of Harry Papazis.

James Roberts has been locked up in the First Police Station upon a charge of arson. He is charged with having set fire to the store and dwelling of Harry Papazis, at 1813 East Main Street. He was said to have been seen running east from the place prior to the breaking out of the fire.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Claude Wilkinson Is Slightly Hurt and His Mother Shaken Up When Cars Collide.

Claude Wilkinson, eight years old, was slightly hurt and Mrs. J. Wilkinson badly shaken in a collision between an automobile driven by Mr. Wilkinson and another driven by Jim at the intersection of Shiner and Grace Streets about 7:30 o'clock last night. Sergeant Wamack and Officers Holk and Mandry investigated, but made no arrests, believing the collision to have been an accident.

Charged With Burglary. W. B. Stephenson and J. E. Johnson were arrested yesterday by Officers Sweet and Lumpkin upon a charge of burglary. They are charged with having entered the residence at 904 East Clay Street and taken a coat, hat and other articles.

POLICE AND FIREMEN TO BE ON GUARD AT FAIR

Special Details From All Three Districts Will Aid in Preserving Order.

MEN ARE ASSIGNED TO DUTY

Captain R. B. Sowell to Be in Charge on Grounds—Visitors Are Warned to Leave Their Valuables at Home. Install Engine on Grounds.

The Police Department has completed all arrangements for policing the State Fair Grounds during the week, and the personnel of the force having the work in charge was announced yesterday. There will be thirty men on duty throughout each day, under Captain R. B. Sowell, Sergeant R. B. Jordan and Sergeant W. L. Bradley. Sergeant Bradley will have charge of the men outside the grounds and the other two officers will handle the crowds inside.

In addition to the thirty men who will go on duty each morning at 9 o'clock, beginning to-day, and remain on duty until the closing of the Fair each night, Sowell will have detective sergeants with him, and the detective sergeants will alternate, two being on duty each day.

Where the territory lies within the Second District, there will be men from each of the three police districts of the city. Prisoners will be carried to the Second Station to be locked up. Captain R. B. Sowell and Sergeant Bradley will have a suboffice in the Fair Grounds, where a regular police blotter will be kept.

FOUR NAMED TO GUARD STATE FAIR GROUNDS

The force announced yesterday, in addition to the officers already named, will be: Second Station men—H. Settles, police patrol chauffeur; Patrolmen W. D. Schiller, J. Smith, I. L. Thier, L. D. Griffin, Joseph Morrison, L. P. Waldrop and R. Shumaker.

First Station men—J. V. Ryan, J. J. Matt, J. J. Taylor, S. G. Cousins, E. L. Kird, L. G. Shipp, A. M. Smith, W. D. Griffin, Joseph Morrison, L. P. Waldrop and R. Shumaker.

Third Station men—G. F. Sharp, H. H. Witzold, P. D. Bass, P. A. Belton. Upon the night closing of the Fair, Capt. R. B. Sowell and Sergeant Bradley will be on duty until the following morning, 9 o'clock, when the regular force returns to their relief.

During the busy rush hours at the fair, the gates of the State Fair Grounds will be guarded by the regular force. The gates will be guarded by the regular force.

AMUSEMENTS

About the Theater.

Residence of the man who will be amusement in abundance in Richmond this week for home folk and visitors alike.

To-night, to-morrow and to-morrow night, the Academy presents "Buddy Long Legs," the famous comedy of youth built from Jean Webster's story of the same name. This play comedy is the best of its kind.

AUTO TURNS TURTLE

Mrs. C. R. Todd Fatally Injured and Four Hurt.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) HAMPTON, VA., October 8.—Mrs. C. R. Todd, wife of a prominent merchant here, was fatally injured, three of her daughters were badly hurt, and a clever vaudeville act was ruined by the accident.

Mrs. Todd and Shields were pinned under the machine, while the three girls were thrown some distance. Mrs. Todd's arm was broken, and she was frightened by a tire blow-out. All of the injured were taken to a hospital.

NEWS OF ASHLAND

ASHLAND, VA., October 8.—At a meeting of the Town Council held on Thursday night, Andrew Ellis tendered his resignation as Mayor of Ashland, which was laid on the table.

FIRST STATE FAIR ARREST

John Keyser Is Held on Charge of Embezzlement of \$115

John Keyser, who came here to work with an amusement company during the fair, was arrested yesterday, charged with being a fugitive from justice from York Pa. Patrolmen Thurman, Ben and Thomas, of the Second Station, made the arrest. Keyser is charged with the embezzlement of \$115 from the Lent Tax Shows Incorporation. The police say the case may not be pressed. This was the first arrest incident to the opening of the fair.

Automobile Stolen. The police have been asked to locate a Buick Automobile, the property of Dr. O. C. Brunk, of 405 East Grace Street. The car was taken some time yesterday morning. It was said to be between 11 and 11:30 o'clock, from in front of the residence.

GILES JACKSON BRANDS REPORT AS FABRICATION

Never Even Suggested That Negro Lawyer Should Take Part in Trinkle Fight.

SAMPLE OF CAMPAIGN METHODS

Republicans Spread Broadcast in Ninth District Mendacious Story About Colored Intervention, Which Has No Foundation in Fact.

"Neither in my private capacity as a citizen nor as a member of the National Hannibal Democratic League, am I taking the slightest part in Virginia politics," said Giles B. Jackson, prominent negro attorney, last night, in a letter addressed to the committee of colored men directing the work. "The report that I was going to use my influence in the Ninth District against Congressman Slamp is too absurd to deny. I have no interest or influence there, nor have I ever received from any person in that district an invitation to come there and speak. It is a fabrication pure and simple, without even the semblance of truth."

Ordinarily, neither of the major parties in Virginia would have had the nerve to suggest that the other side was seriously considering re-enforcing its campaign with speakers of the colored race. Since the adoption of the new Constitution, it has been generally understood that the Negro has been forever divorced from politics, and will not again arise to disturb the pleasant relations that exist now between the white and colored elements of the population.

FAKE NEWS IS CIRCULATED BY REPUBLICAN ORGANIZATION

But the Republicans of the Ninth Virginia District, where Congressman Jackson is fighting for reelection, have given the Negro the same old story, which has been assiduously circulated by the Ninth District Republican organization.

Jack's proposed pilgrimage to the West was duly chronicled in a Bluefield, W. Va. paper in a dispatch purporting to have emanated from Bristol. The article gave the impression that Jackson had been invited by the same newspaper editor to come out and make speeches for Trinkle.

Upon being apprised that Slamp's agents were circulating the story, producing a Western Virginia report to substantiate their assertions, Trinkle headquarters in Bristol promptly sought out the Bristol correspondent of the Bluefield paper, establishing the fact that such a story had never been sent out of Bristol. Apparently the whole tale was cooked up for political purposes.

REPUBLICAN PAPER PRINTS JACKSON STORY

The Abingdon Virginian, violently Republican in its position, gloats over the "news" in this fashion: "The announcement from Democratic headquarters at Bristol that Giles B. Jackson, a negro lawyer, is in company with Mr. Trinkle, has set the Ninth District on fire. The coming of Giles B. Jackson is as maddening to a Ninth District colored man as flouting a white man's face."

It is a curious newspaper under a Republican administration, under a Republican administration, under a Republican administration, under a Republican administration.

SPEAK IN WISE TO-DAY

To-day Candidate E. Lee Trinkle and Governor Stuart will deliver campaign speeches at Wise Courthouse, a few miles from Norton. The Governor went to Wise County from Kings Mountain, N. C., where an elaborate Republican address at the celebration of the battle anniversary at that place.

One of the most encouraging signs from the Democratic standpoint is the fact that the election tax has been accorded everywhere in Wise County to Candidate Trinkle. The county has for years returned substantial Republican majorities. It is estimated that 80 per cent of the taxes are paid by industries and developments controlled by Northern capital whose owners are affiliated with the Republican party, and a large proportion of the beneficiaries of a direct way connected with these interests.

The change of attitude is explained by the attitude of big business to the Wilson administration. Wise County industries are enjoying a degree of prosperity never before equaled in its history, and the general disposition on the part of the beneficiaries of this prosperity is to let well enough alone. Merchants, capitalists, big farmers and cattle raisers who in former years gave ear to the Republican assertion that Democratic rule was incompatible with commercial and industrial prosperity, have in large numbers succumbed to this faith, and are supporting the Wilson administration.

Accordingly, every Trinkle meeting in the Wise County region has been marked by encouraging enthusiasm. Big and demonstrative crowds attended the meetings at Norton, Stonegap and Big Stone Gap. The enthusiasm at the last-named town was all the more significant since it is the home town of Representative Slamp himself.

SHIELDING SHADOW

Pathe Serial Following "Iron Claw." Don't Miss the First Chapter. Lake Comedies and Hearst Weekly.

NEW THEATER

Broad at Second St. HOME OF

Paramount Pictures

To-Day, To-Morrow and Wednesday, MARIE DORO, In

"The Lash"

A Beautiful Story by Paul West, Staged on the Coast of Brittany.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY

BLANCH SWEET, In

"The Storm"

Admission 10c, Day and Night.

FOR TO-DAY

we are offering the following specials: AT \$15.00—Men's Fall Suits well worth \$20.00. AT \$10.00—Men's Raincoats well worth \$15.00. AT \$ 4.95—Boys' Knee-Pants Suits worth up to \$8.50.

GANS-RADY COMPANY

GOVERNOR COMMENDS CAMPAIGN FOR THRIFT

Writes Letter to Committee of Colored Race, Approving Plans of Savings Bank Section.

The thrift campaign among Richmond colored people, conducted on the general lines laid down by the savings bank section of the American Bankers' Association, has been given official endorsement by Governor Stuart in a letter addressed to the committee of colored men directing the work.

The committee is composed of John Mitchell, Jr., chairman; Thomas M. Crump and M. E. Davis. Responding to the request for the Governor's word of cheer, the Governor said: "My hearty approbation and good wishes are yours in the campaign of education and practical work which you propose to conduct for the promotion of thrift among the people of your race. The lesson of economy and careful and thoughtful expenditure is one sorely needed by all races in our country to-day. Any effort at demonstration of the fact that living within one's means is a tremendous factor in the promotion of individual happiness and community comfort, deserves the fullest measure of success."

SEALED VERDICT SENT TO COMMANDING GENERAL

Court-Martial Closes Hearing in Case of Major Henry S. Barrett, of Maryland Infantry.

Trial by a general court-martial of Major Henry S. Barrett, of the Fourth Maryland Infantry, on charges of making utterances prejudicial to the service and of conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman and attempting to deceive a superior officer, was completed at Camp Stuart yesterday morning. The findings of the court were sealed and will follow the military procedure, to be forwarded to the Department of the East, Major-General Leonard Wood commanding. It will be probably two weeks before the verdict is made public.

Major Barrett is said to have told Baltimore newspaper men that he was disgusted with the service and it is charged that he afterwards informed Colonel Henry C. Jones, his immediate superior, that he did not make the statement. The department is practically pleading guilty to the first charge, vehemently denied the second, declaring that Major Barrett intended to resign and that following military procedure, he was ordered to remain in the service.

Major Barrett, a man of high standing in Baltimore, is an efficient officer. No date has yet been set. It was stated yesterday for the trial of ten members of the Engineering Corps, charged with mutiny. They have been in the custody of the military police and must remain in custody until after their trial. It was stated yesterday that the Department of the East had ordered the charges of mutiny be changed to one of disobedience of orders.

STREET CARS IN COLLISION

Smash Into Each Other on Curve, Passengers Being Badly Shaken.

There was a slight street car smash-up at the corner of Seventh and Perry Streets, South Richmond, last night about 10 o'clock. Several passengers were badly shaken and bruised, but no one was seriously injured. The southbound car, operated by Motorman H. B. Bath, as both were rounding a curve. There was considerable excitement for a few minutes, and some of the passengers were badly hurt, all going home without needing the attention of surgeons.

ACADEMY---Te-Night & Tuesday

Matinee Tuesday

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ACADEMY---Wednesday

Matinee and Night

THE ORIGINAL SMART SET

Prices—Matinee, 25c to 75c. Night, 25c to \$1.00.

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Three Nights, Starting Thursday. Matinee Saturday.

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The Musical Comedy Novelty of All Time

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JUST FUN, MUSIC AND GIRLS

Nights, 50c to \$1.50; Mat., 25c to \$1.

EVERY NIGHT MATINEES

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Rowland and Clifford Present

"While the City Sleeps"

Next Week—Nancy Boyer, in "The Woman Who Paid."

THE BEST IN MOTION PICTURES

STRAND

Triangle Plays

Nights, 10c-15c. Matinee, 10c.

TO-DAY—Lillian Gish, in "DIANE OF THE FOLIES," and the New Keystone Comedy, "THE LOVERS' MITE."

COLONIAL 10c

TO-DAY—May Allison and Harold Lockwood, in "SMISHER 44," and Charles Hitchman, in "THE BAWN OF FRESHBORN."

ODEON Always 10c

TO-DAY—Earl Williams and Margaret Blake, in "THE SCARLET KENNEL," and Charles Hitchman, in "THE BAWN OF FRESHBORN."

ISIS NOW 5c

TO-DAY—Shirley Moore, in "THE THORN AND THE ROSE."

LITTLE Admission 10c

TO-DAY—Theda Bara and Nance O'Neil, in "KREUZER SONATA."